

Robert Lavane Jones

Robert Lavane Jones, 65, of Woodville, passed away Monday, April 16, 2007 at Christus St. Elizabeth Hospital in Beaumont, Texas.

Memorial services were held Sunday, April 22nd at 2 p.m. at the Stringer & Griffin Funeral Home Chapel in Woodville. Officiating was Reverend Clay Whitaker of First United Methodist Church of Vidor. A gathering of family and friends was from 11 a.m. until service time on Sunday.

Robert was born February 21, 1942 to Ruil Lavane & Pearlene Scott Jones in San Diego, California. He was a former longtime resident of Vidor and had lived in Woodville for the past two years. He had worked as a structural steel designer in the oilfield industry.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ruil "Buck" Jones and Pearlene "Pinky" Ackley. He is survived by his wife Shiela Jones of Woodville; sons & daughters-in-law, Kurt & Robin Jones of Lafayette, Indiana, Gregory & Jody Thompson of Woodville and Robert Lavane, II & Lori Jones of Bridge City; daughters & sons-in-law, Dawn Renee & Roy Hardin of Detroit, Charlotte & Pat Denin of Orange, Krista K. Thompson of Woodville and Melissa & Thomas McKay of Groves; brothers & sisters-in-law, Jim & Mary Ackley of Santee, CA, Charles Glenn Jones of Houston and Michael & Rhonda Jones of Vidor; sisters & brothers-in-law, Jeanette & Ed Welch of San Diego, CA, Sherry Grissom of Spurger, Audrey & Donald McDonald and Stacey & Greg Bagwell all of Vidor; step mother, Betty Jones Flannigan of Vidor; seventeen grandchildren; five great grandchildren; and former wives, Bobbie Jean Franklin of Granbury and Linda Jones of Nederland.

Services were under the direction of Stringer & Griffin Funeral Home of Woodville.